IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE J.M.JAMES

WEDNESDAY, THE 29TH NOVEMBER 2006 / 8TH AGRAHAYANA 1928

WP(C).No. 31569 of 2006(G)

PETITIONER:

SAJI D. CHERUVATHOOR,
JUNIOR ASSISTANT, THRISSUR DAIRY,
RAMAVARMAPURAM.

BY ADV. SRI.K.N.CHANDRABABU
SMT.LISY T.SKARIA

RESPONDENTS:

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1. ERNAKULAM REGIONAL CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCERS UNION LTD., THRISSUR DAIRY, RAMAVARMAPURAM, THRISSUR, REP. BY ITS MANAGER.

2. THE MANAGING DIRECTOR, ERNAKULAM, REGIONAL CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCERS UNION LTD., EDAPPALLY, KOCHI.

BY SENIOR ADV. SRI.B.S.KRISHNAN, SC FOR MILMA

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 29/11/2006, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

J.M.JAMES, J.

W.P.(C). 31569/2006

Dated this 29th day of November, 2006

JUDGMENT

The disciplinary action, initiated against the writ petitioner and the consequential imposition of a penalty of withholding one increment with cumulative effect, is under challenge before the second respondent, Managing Director, Regional Co-operative Milk Producers Union Ltd., Ernakulam, Edappally, Kochi. The appeal was filed in the month of October 2005.

2. The grievance of the writ petitioner is that the appeal, preferred by him, has not been considered so far, as his one increment is being barred with cumulative effect and prays that a direction may be issued to dispose of the appeal immediately, considering that he is a person, who sustained injuries in an accident and is working as junior most in the category of Junior Assistant of the first respondent, Union, without any benefits or promotion.

3. I heard the leaned counsel for the respondents

1 and 2. In the above facts situation, I direct the second respondent, the Managing Director, to dispose of the appeal preferred by the writ petitioner as expeditiously as possible, in any case, within one month from the date of production of a copy of this judgment, before him.

The writ petition is disposed of as above.

J.M.JAMES
JUDGE

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